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## **State aid payments released to public libraries**

Certified public libraries in Missouri have received \$1,404,983 in state aid funds for the first and second quarters of FY2005. Funds were distributed at the end of October, and libraries can check their payment amounts on the State Library Web site at

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/development/eftpayments/eftpayments05.asp>.

There are 165 certified library districts in Missouri, including Winona Public Library in Shannon County, the newest district to be approved for state aid funding. Only the counties of Lincoln, Ozark, and Taney remain without tax-supported library services.

Third and fourth quarter state aid payments will be distributed during the last half of the fiscal year.

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